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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated July 11, 2007, concerning the above-referenced patent application. By virtue of the accompanying Petition for Extension of Time and payment of the prescribed fees, this response is timely filed on or before November 11, 2007.

Amendments to the Specification begins on page 2 of this document.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this document.

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